CTEH CENTER FOR TOXICOLOGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH, LLC

Mission Incident
Santa Paula, CA
Preliminary Summary of Air Monitoring Results
January 5, 2015

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Introduction

Center for Toxicology and Environmental Health, LLC (CTEH®) continued air monitoring in support of response activities following a vacuum truck explosion and fire in Santa Paula, CA.

This submittal summarizes air monitoring data for January 5, 2015 07:00 to January 6, 2015 07:00.

Real-time Air Monitoring

All instrumentation was calibrated at least once per day or per manufacturer's recommendations. Manually-logged real-time air monitoring was conducted for chlorine (Cl_2), hydrogen sulfide (H_2S), percent of the Lower Explosive Limit (LEL), oxygen (O_2), particulate matter (10 micron particles, PM_{10}), sulfur dioxide (SO_2), and volatile organic compounds (VOCs), with instruments such as Gastec® pumps with chemical-specific colorimetric tubes, RAESystems® MultiRAE Plus and MultiRAE Pro PID with chemical-specific sensors, and TSI® AM510s for particulate matter. Monitoring was conducted by CTEH® personnel in the work area and along the perimeter of the facility in the community near the adjacent agricultural fields. Table 1 summarizes monitoring data for manually-logged real-time readings. Maps including the site location, aerial site photo, and roaming monitoring locations are included in Appendix A.

CTEH® monitored RAESystems© AreaRAE units with a ProRAE Guardian system at four locations on the fence line of the facility within the work area. Unit 10 was deployed in the cabs of excavators supporting solidification and waste removal operations in the Exclusion Zone. Unit 11 was deployed along the fence line of the facility between the 120 barrel tank truck and Mission Rock Road (primarily to monitor Cl_2 concentrations near the tank truck). AreaRAEs were equipped with sensors to detect Cl_2, VOCs, LEL, H_2S, and SO_2. Unit 10 recorded 3 instantaneous detections of Cl_2 up to 0.5 ppm; however, CTEH® responders in the area did not detect the presence of Cl_2 with handheld instruments, and these detections were documented as likely caused by electronic sensor drift. The Cl_2 sensor was recalibrated. Table 2 summarizes monitoring data for AreaRAE monitoring. AreaRAE graphs displaying real-time air monitoring data as well as 15-minute rolling averages and a map depicting AreaRAE locations are included in Appendix B.

Particulate monitors were collocated with AreaRAE units 01, 02, 03, and 04 and data-logged to monitor PM_{10}. An additional particulate monitor was data-logged in the cab of the excavator supporting solidification and waste removal operations in the exclusion zone; however, the data from this device was unable to be retrieved due to the unit shorting out due to water exposure during dust control operations. Table 3 summarizes data-logged particulate monitoring data.

Table 1: Manually-Logged Real-Time Air Monitoring Summary[1]
January 5, 2015 07:00 – January 6, 2015 07:00

Location Category	Analyte	Instrument	No. of Readings	No. of Detections	Avg. of Detections	Detection Range[2]
Community	H2S	MR+ / MR Pro	2	0	NA	<0.1 ppm
	PM10	AM510/Dusttrak	2	2	0.023	0.018 - 0.028 mg/m^3
	VOC	MR+ / MR Pro	3	0	NA	<0.1 ppm
Work Area	Cl2	MR+ / MR Pro	1	0	NA	<0.1 ppm
	H2S	MR+ / MR Pro	8	0	NA	<1 ppm
	LEL	MR+ / MR Pro	9	0	NA	<1 %
	O2	MR+ / MR Pro	9	9	20.9	20.9 - 20.9 %
	SO2	MR+ / MR Pro	9	0	NA	<0.1 ppm
	VOC	MR+ / MR Pro	8	1	0.1	0.1 – 0.1 ppm

[1]*Note: The data set displayed here has not undergone complete QA/QC analysis and is presented in a preliminary format.*
[2]*Maximum detections preceded by the "<" symbol are considered non-detects below reporting limit to the right.*

Table 2: AreaRAE Air Monitoring Summary[1]
January 5, 2015 07:00 – January 6, 2015 07:00

Unit ID	Analyte	No. of Readings	No. of Detections	Avg. of Detections	Detection Range[2]
Unit 01	H_2S	5342	0	NA	< 1 ppm
	LEL	5342	0	NA	< 1 %
	SO_2	5342	0	NA	< 0.1 ppm
	VOC	5342	0	NA	< 0.1 ppm
Unit 02	H_2S	5195	68	0.1 ppm	0.1 - 0.2 ppm
	LEL	5195	0	NA	< 1 %
	SO_2	5195	0	NA	< 0.1 ppm
	VOC	5195	732	0.1 ppm	0.1 - 0.3 ppm
Unit 03	H_2S	5345	0	NA	< 1 ppm
	LEL	5345	0	NA	< 1 %
	SO_2	5345	0	NA	< 0.1 ppm
	VOC	5345	3	0.2 ppm	0.1 - 0.2 ppm
Unit 04	H_2S	5174	4	0.1 ppm	0.1 - 0.1 ppm
	LEL	5174	0	NA	< 1 %
	SO_2	5174	0	NA	< 0.1 ppm
	VOC	5174	0	NA	< 0.1 ppm
Unit 10	Cl_2	1513	3	0.2 ppm	0.1 - 0.5 ppm
	LEL	1513	0	NA	< 1 %
	SO_2	1513	0	NA	< 0.1 ppm
	VOC	1513	637	0.3 ppm	0.1 - 0.5 ppm
Unit 11	Cl_2	5318	1	0.1 ppm	0.1 - 0.1 ppm
	SO_2	5318	0	NA	< 0.1 ppm
	VOC	5318	0	NA	< 0.1 ppm

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Table 3: AM510 PM_{10} Monitoring Summary[1]
January 5, 2015 07:00 – January 6, 2015 07:00

Serial No.	Location	No. of Readings	No. of Detections	Avg. Detection	Detection Range
10601072	AR01	3317	1660	0.004	0.001 - 0.102 mg/m^3
10503020	AR02	5555	3608	0.021	0.001 - 1.304 mg/m^3
10704075	AR03	4180	3632	0.012	0.001 - 0.439 mg/m^3
10601073	AR04	3246	3246	0.003	0.001 - 0.378 mg/m^3
10704074		5	5	0.021	0.008 - 0.051 mg/m^3

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Appendix A

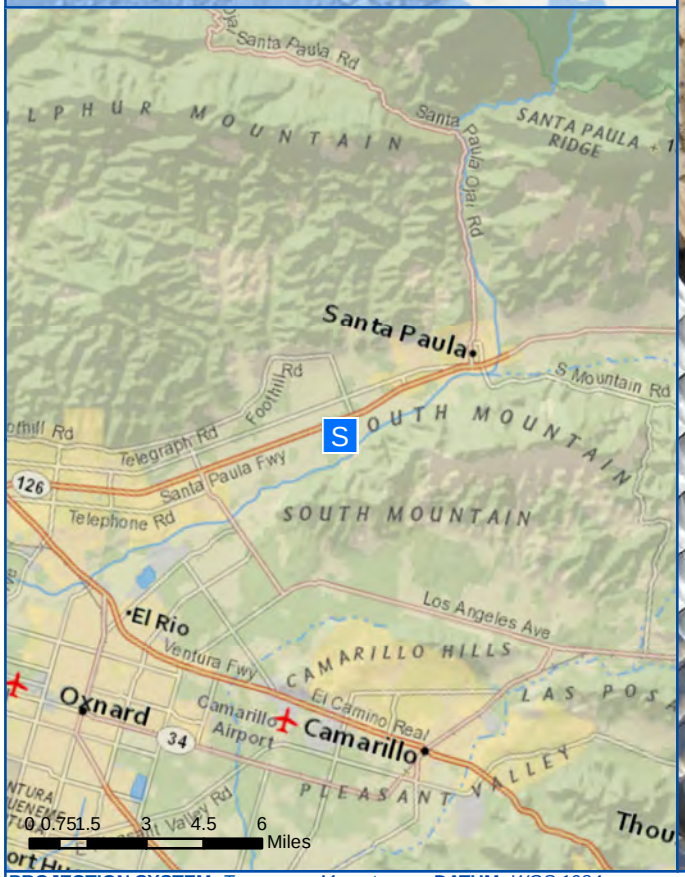
Incident Maps:

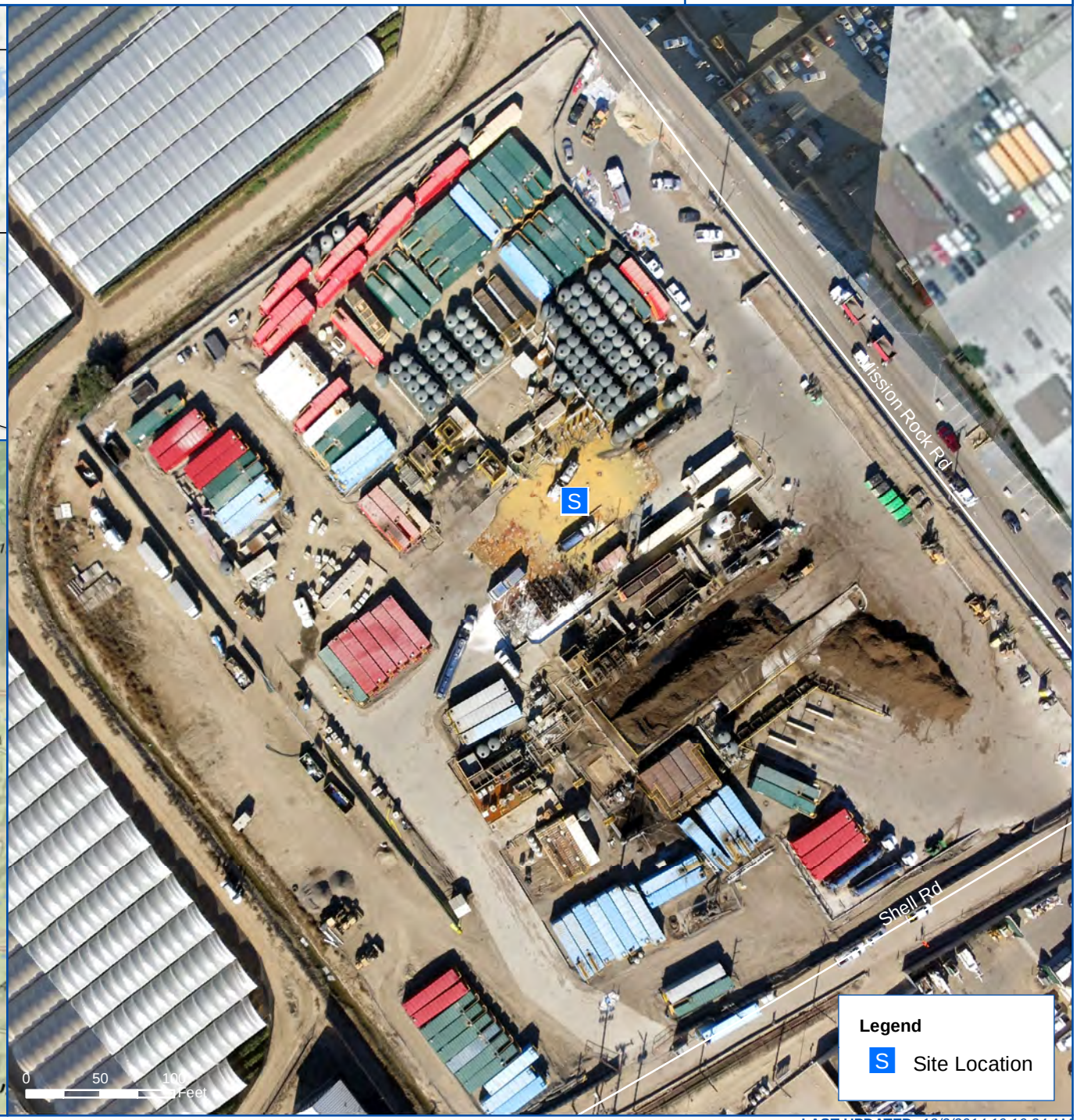
Real-time Air Monitoring Locations and Incident Site

Site Location

Mission Incident

Project: 106846
Client: Patriot Environmental
City: Santa Paula, CA
County: Ventura





PROJECTION SYSTEM: *Transverse Mercator* **DATUM:** *WGS 1984* **LAST UPDATED:** *12/2/2014 10:10:34 AM*

Aerial Overview - 1/04/2015

Mission Incident

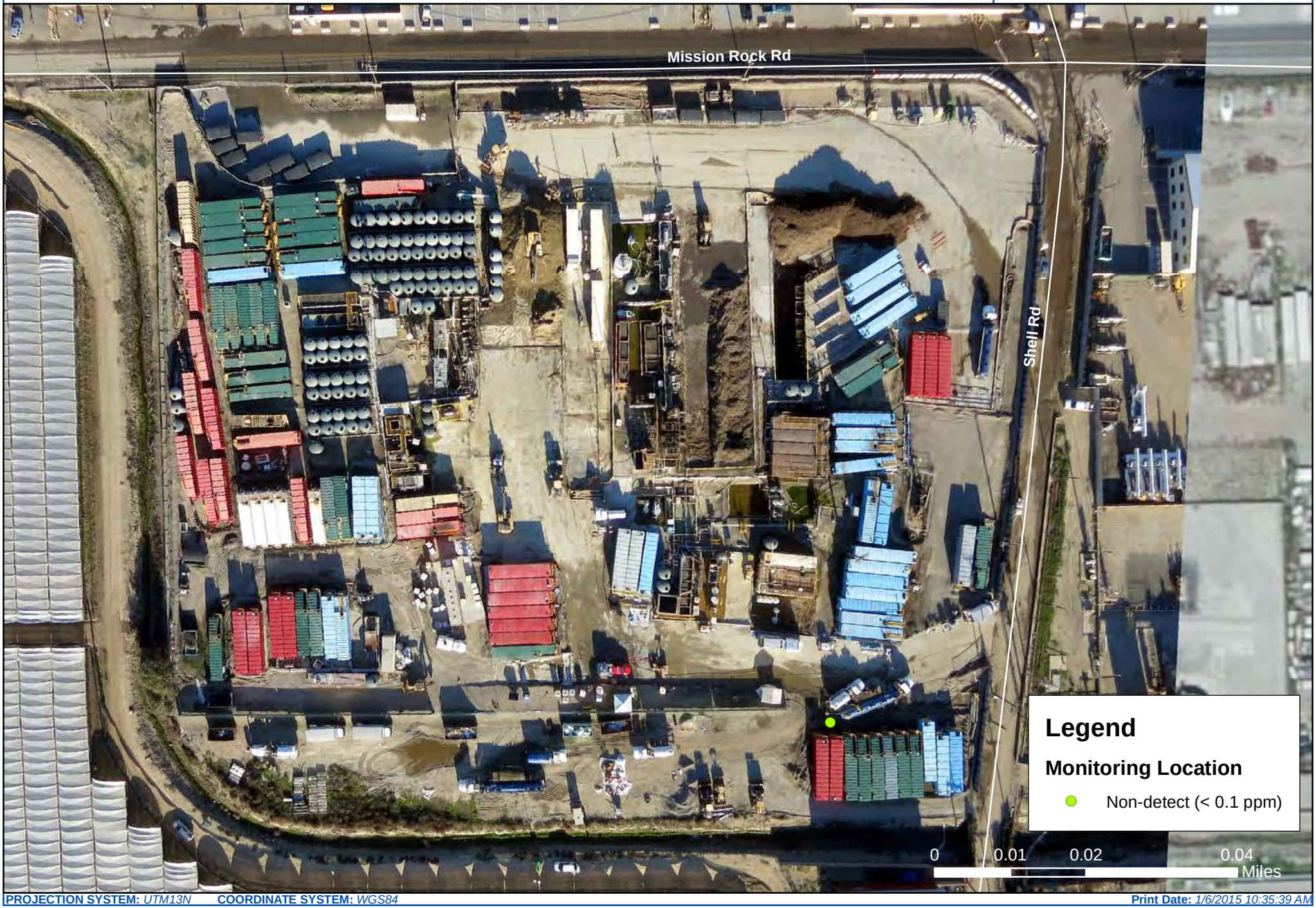
Project: 106846
Client: Patriot Environmental
City: Santa Paula, CA
County: Ventura

PROJECTION SYSTEM: *Transverse Mercator* **DATUM:** *WGS 1984* **LAST UPDATED:** *1/4/2015 4:36:45 PM*

Manually Logged Real-Time Air Monitoring Concentrations

Cl_2 - Jan 05, 2015 07:00 to Jan 06, 2015 07:00

CTEH Project#: 106846
Client: Patriot Environmental
City: Santa Paula, CA
County: Ventura



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Manually Logged Real-Time Air Monitoring Concentrations

H_2S - Jan 05, 2015 07:00 to Jan 06, 2015 07:00

CTEH Project#: 106846
Client: Patriot Environmental
City: Santa Paula, CA
County: Ventura

PROJECTION SYSTEM: *UTM13N* **COORDINATE SYSTEM:** *WGS84*

Print Date: *1/6/2015 10:37:35 AM*

Manually Logged Real-Time Air Monitoring Concentrations

LEL - Jan 05, 2015 07:00 to Jan 06, 2015 07:00

CTEH Project#: 106846
Client: Patriot Environmental
City: Santa Paula, CA
County: Ventura

PROJECTION SYSTEM: *UTM13N* COORDINATE SYSTEM: *WGS84*

Print Date: *1/7/2015 9:35:43 AM*

Manually Logged Real-Time Air Monitoring Concentrations

O_2 - Jan 05, 2015 07:00 to Jan 06, 2015 07:00

CTEH Project#: 106846
Client: Patriot Environmental
City: Santa Paula, CA
County: Ventura

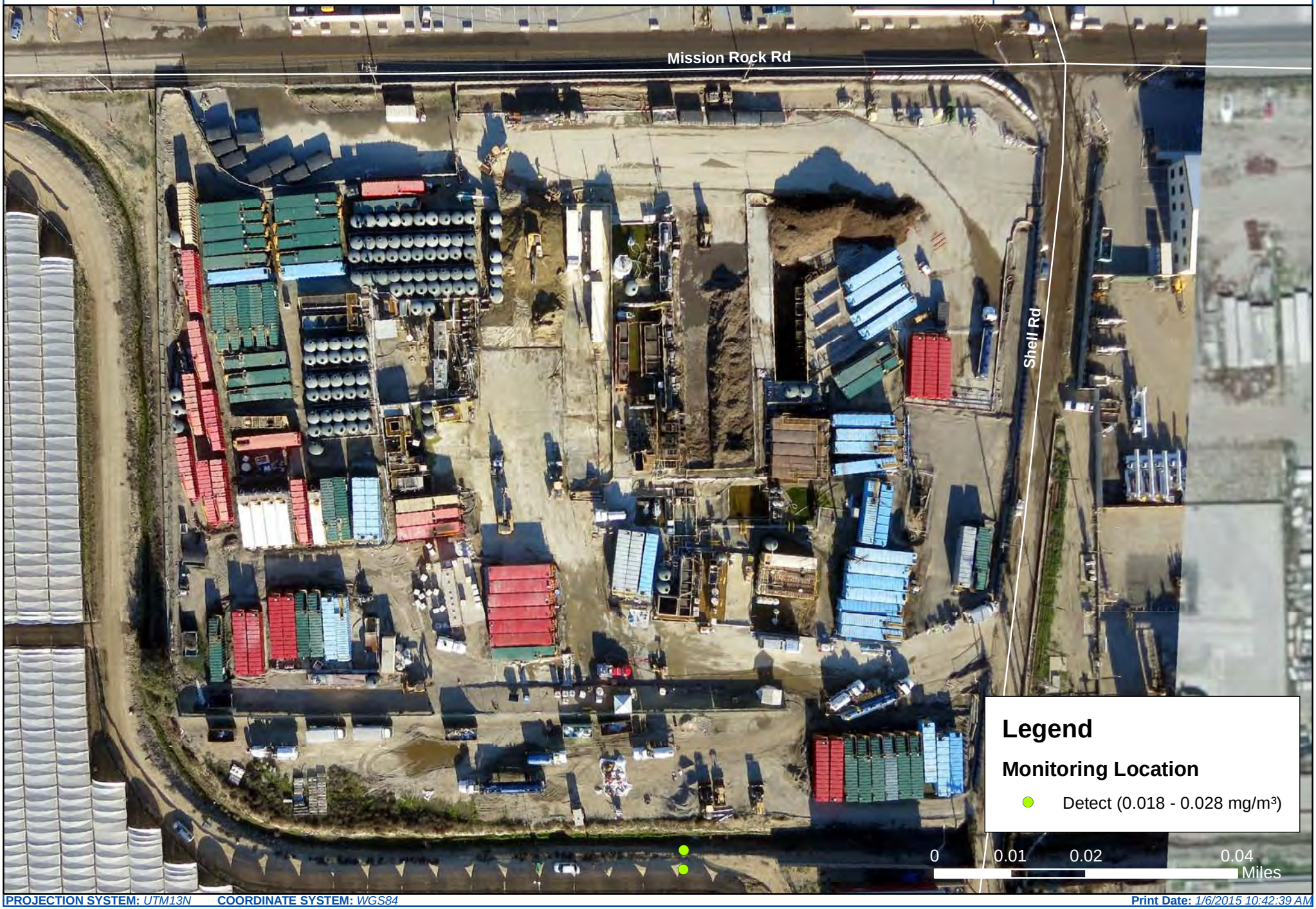
PROJECTION SYSTEM: *UTM13N* **COORDINATE SYSTEM:** *WGS84*

Print Date: *1/6/2015 10:41:08 AM*

Manually Logged Real-Time Air Monitoring Concentrations

PM_{10} - Jan 05, 2015 07:00 to Jan 06, 2015 07:00

CTEH Project#: 106846
Client: Patriot Environmental
City: Santa Paula, CA
County: Ventura



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Manually Logged Real-Time Air Monitoring Concentrations

SO_2 - Jan 05, 2015 07:00 to Jan 06, 2015 07:00

CTEH Project#: 106846
Client: Patriot Environmental
City: Santa Paula, CA
County: Ventura

PROJECTION SYSTEM: *UTM13N* **COORDINATE SYSTEM:** *WGS84*

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Manually Logged Real-Time Air Monitoring Concentrations

VOC - Jan 05, 2015 07:00 to Jan 06, 2015 07:00

CTEH Project#: 106846
Client: Patriot Environmental
City: Santa Paula, CA
County: Ventura

PROJECTION SYSTEM: *UTM13N* **COORDINATE SYSTEM:** *WGS84*

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Appendix B:

AreaRAE Trend Graphs, AM510 Trend Graphs, and Location Map

AreaRAE and AM510 Locations

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Project: 106846
Client: Patriot Environmental
City: Santa Paula, CA
County: Ventura

PROJECTION SYSTEM: *Transverse Mercator* **DATUM:** *WGS 1984* **LAST UPDATED:** *1/4/2015 8:59:56 AM*

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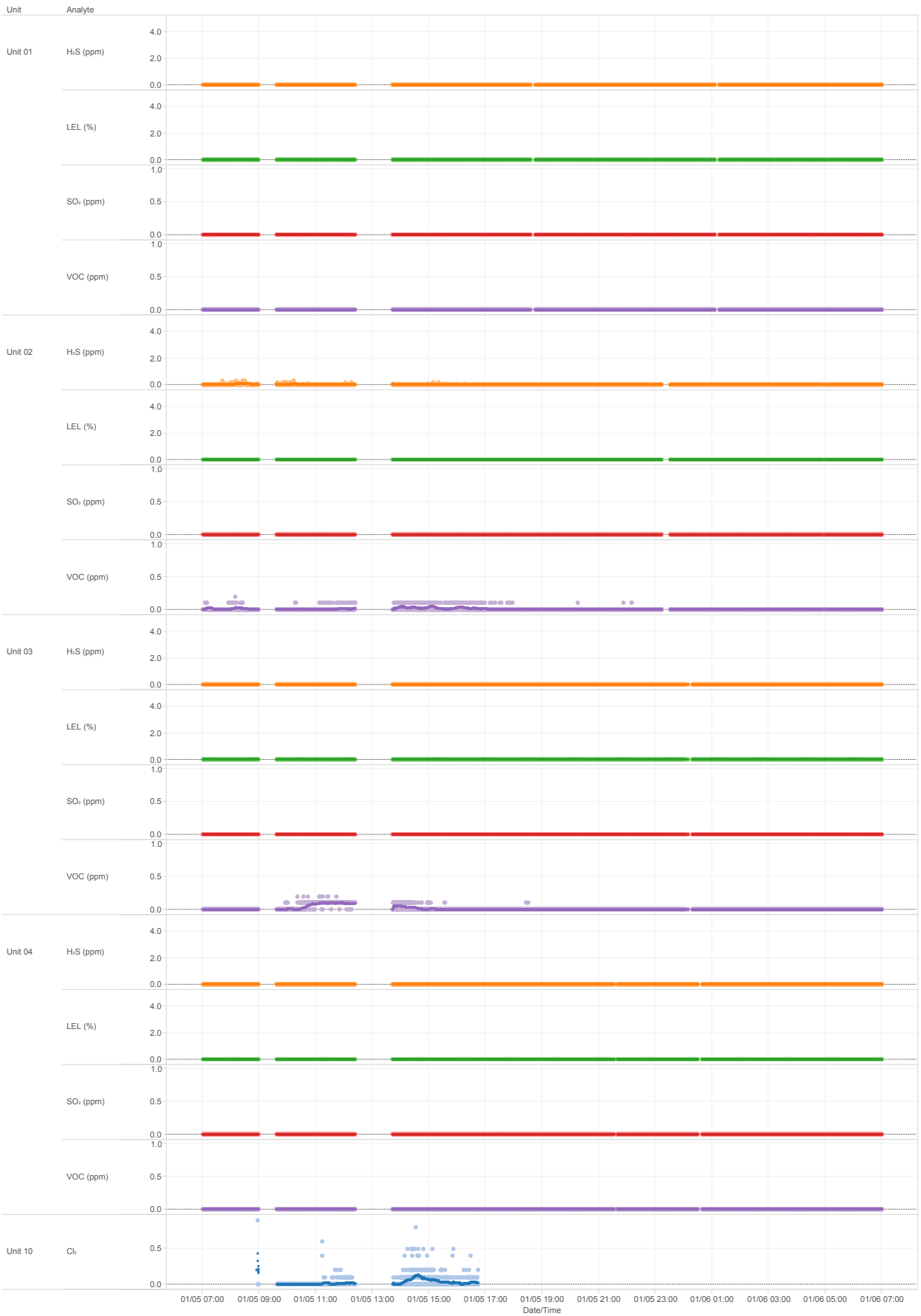
AreaRAE Trend Graphs
1/05/2015 07:00 - 1/06/2015 07:00



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AreaRAE Trend Graphs
1/05/2015 07:00 - 1/06/2015 07:00

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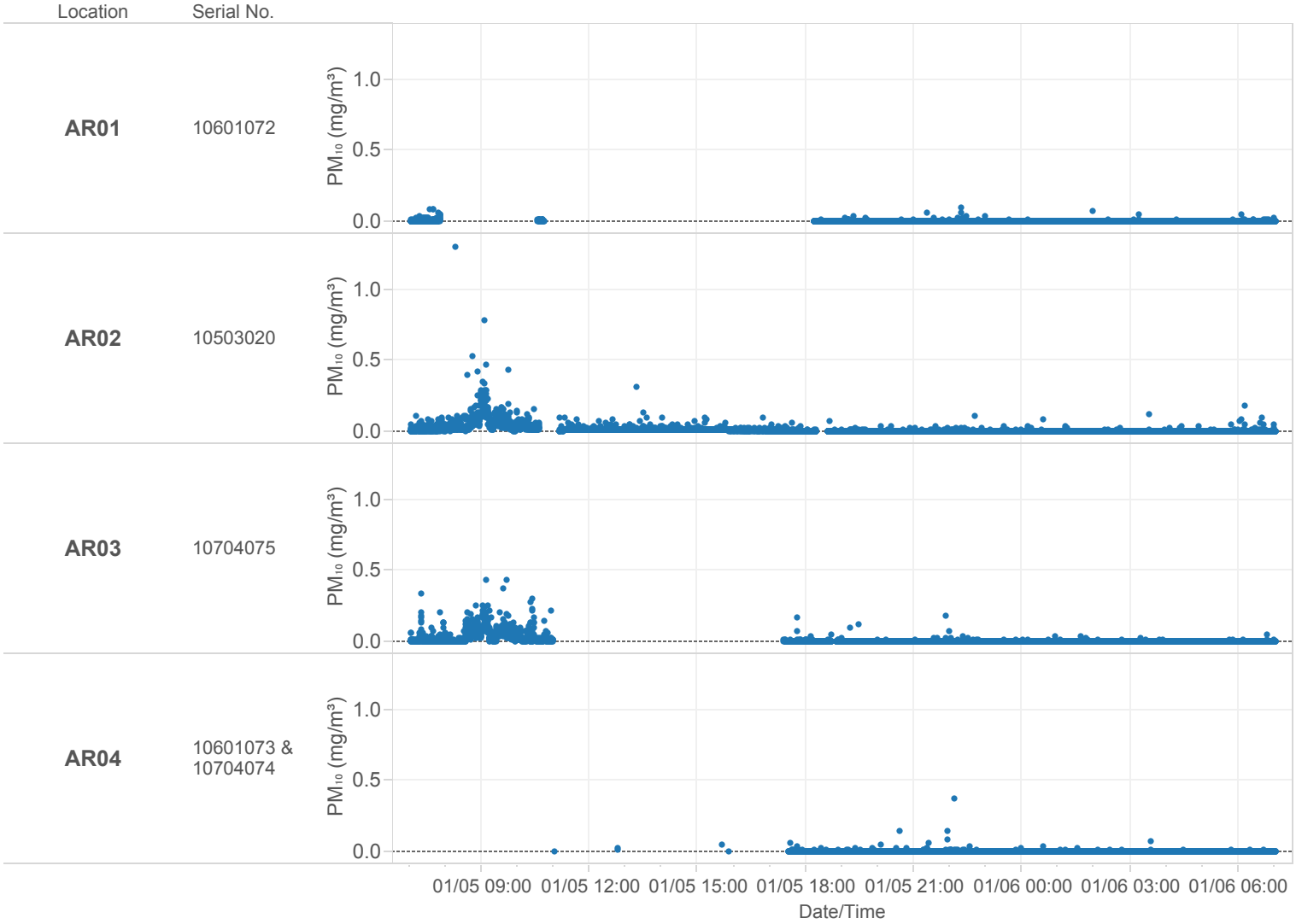
MISSION INCIDENT
Datalogged AM510 (PM_{10}) Summary
1/05/2015 07:00 - 1/06/2015 07:00



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